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(PATENT)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:
Guenter KIRSCHNER et al.

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For: PROCEDURE FOR THE PREPARATION OF
PURE PHOSPHATIDES AND THEIR USE IN
THE COSMETIC, PHARMACEUTICAL AND
ALIMENTARY FIELDS

Examiner: MARX, I.

FORMAL INTERVIEW REQUEST

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants informally contacted the Examiner to request an Interview in the above-referenced application. Because a Final Office Action has issued, the Examiner exercised her discretion and denied the Interview.

However, Applicants formally request an Interview to determine the specific type of experimental evidence the Examiner would find persuasive to overcome the indefiniteness and obviousness rejections of record. As this Application has a long prosecution history, and Applicants last spoke to the Examiner in January of 2008 (not in this RCE application), Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner consent to speak with their representatives.

It is hoped that such a discussion would determine a means for forwarding prosecution in this case.

A response is due on or before March 18, 2010, the statutory six-month date. Applicants request an Interview prior to that date.

Should there be any outstanding matters that need to be resolved in the present application, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact Leonard R. Svensson Reg. No. 30,330 at the telephone number of the undersigned below, to conduct an interview in an effort to expedite prosecution in connection with the present application.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fees required under 37.C.F.R. §§1.16 or 1.14; particularly, extension of time fees.

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Respectfully submitted,

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